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2010 STLP STATE CHAMPIONS NAMED

(FRANKFORT, Ky.) – More than 3,500 students from across Kentucky competed in the Student Technology Leadership Program (STLP) State Showcase Competition May 11 in Lexington.

The event provided P-12 students opportunities to present their projects to people outside their classrooms. STLP is a project-based learning program that empowers students in all grade levels to use technology to learn and achieve. It was established in 1994 by the STLP State Advisory Council, which is composed of teachers, students and community leaders. The program is open to all students in all grade levels in every school in Kentucky.

Three schools' projects were selected as overall School Showcase Champions and will represent STLP at the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) conference in Denver, Colorado, June 27-30:

- Pembroke Elementary, Christian County (Triple D Can You See)
- Bowling Middle, Owen County (Don't Delay Neuter or Spay)
- Buckhorn High, Perry County (Social Networking)

Seven school projects were named runners-up in the championship:

- Bowling Middle, Owen County (Relay for Life)
- Fleming County High (Technology in the Shop)
- Mason County High (MCTV News)
- Metcalfe County High (Metcalfe County Veterans)
- Mt. Sterling Elementary, Montgomery County (How To Start STLP)
- Mullins School, Pike County (Twitter Tales)
- Oakview Elementary, Ashland Independent (Oakview Printing Services)

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Student projects were judged on educational value, value to the entire school/community and entrepreneurship. Students displayed and discussed projects and services that have impacted their schools or communities.

High-quality products in animation, digital citizenship, art, music, video and writing were presented. Students also competed in presentations and live performances in multiple technology categories.

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